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# MACPHERSON NURSERIES

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## DECIDUOUS *and* CITRUS FRUIT TREES



### SALESYARD

Eight Miles East of Redlands

On State Highway No. 99

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Residence

631 Alvarado Street Phone Green 153

Redlands, California

# *Information for Purchasers*

**PRICES:**—All prices quoted are F.O.B. Nursery.

Freight and express charges are to be paid by the purchaser.

These prices supercede all others and are changeable without notice.

**GRADES:**—All fruit trees are graded by caliper, 2 to 3 foot trees caliper just above the bud union from  $1/4$  to  $3/8$  inch; 3 to 4 foot trees caliper  $3/8$  to  $1/2$  inch; 4 to 6 foot trees caliper  $1/2$  inch and up.

**PACKING CHARGES** are made to cover the cost of material used.

**ERRORS:**—Errors or omissions must be called to our attention within ten days after the receipt of stock.

**TERMS:**—Strictly cash. On all orders placed in advance we ask that a twenty per cent deposit be made. Then stock will be reserved for shipment at any later date desired by the purchaser. Interest will be charged on all over-due accounts.

**GUARANTEE:**—The Macpherson Nurseries exercise great care to have all stock true to name. However, should any stock prove untrue to name we hold ourselves in readiness to replace all such stock or refund the purchase price. But in no case shall we be liable for any sum greater than the amount originally received for said nursery stock.

All orders are accepted with the understanding that same shall be void should injury befall our stock from hail, frost, drought, or any other cause over which we have no control.

All deciduous fruit trees are grown in the foothills on **VIRGIN TREE SOIL WHICH IS FREE FROM NEMATODE AND OTHER COMMON DISEASES.**

## **NUMBER OF TREES NEEDED PER ACRE USING SQUARE METHOD**

Distance In Feet	Plants Per Acre	Distance In Feet	Plants Per Acre
10 x 10	435	25 x 25	69
12 x 12	302	30 x 30	48
16 x 16	170	35 x 35	35
20 x 20	108	40 x 40	27
22 x 22	90	50 x 50	17
24 x 24	75	60 x 60	17

## **PRUNING DECIDUOUS FRUIT TREES AFTER PLANTING**

Just after the fruit tree is planted and watered cut the main branch back to within twenty-eight to thirty inches from the ground surface. Cut off all but three to five side branches which should be regularly spaced around the trunk. These side branches should be cut back to three to five buus.

# Varieties

Are Listed in Order of Ripening

## APRICOTS

On Peach Root

Price Each	Each	Per 10	Per 100
4 to 6 feet	50c	35c	25c
3 to 4 feet	40c	30c	20c
2 to 3 feet	35c	25c	15c

**ROYAL**—The most popular apricot in Southern California. Fruit large to medium size. Skin deep yellow blushed with red. Flesh rich and sweet. A heavy producer. Ripens early in June.

Royal on apricot root 10c per tree higher.

**TILTON**—One of the best canning varieties. Also used for shipping and drying. Fruit large. Skin orange yellow. Flesh clear yellow, fine grained and very firm. Ripens late June.

**MOORPARK**—Very large, roundish, deep yellow fruit. Rich and luscious flavor. One of the best flavored apricots grown but a shy bearer. Ripens in July.

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## CHERRIES

On Mazzard and Mahaleb Root

Price Each	Each	Per 10	Per 100
6 to 8 feet	60c	45c	35c
4 to 6 feet	50c	40c	30c
3 to 4 feet	40c	35c	25c
2 to 3 feet	35c	30c	20c

**CHAPMAN**—A seedling of Black Tartarian. Tree large, vigorous, upright, spreading. Fruit medium to large, black, sweet. Flesh rather tender, good quality. Ripens late May.

**BLACK TARTARIAN**—Tree an upright grower. Fruit large and heart-shaped. Skin black and glossy. Pit small. Local market and shipping. Bears regularly. One of the best cherries grown. Ripens in early June.

**BING**—Fruit large and heart-shaped. Skin almost black when fully ripe. Flesh firm, meaty, sweet, and delicious. An excellent shipper. Ripens in middle June.

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## FIGS

Price Each	Each	Per 10	Per 100
4 to 6 feet	50c	35c	25c
3 to 4 feet	40c	30c	20c
2 to 3 feet	35c	25c	15c

**BROWN TURKEY**—A large brown fig. Fruit oblique in shape with medium to long neck. Flesh strawberry-red.

**KADOTA**—Fruit of medium size. Thin skin with a golden yellow color. Flesh white, tinged with pink. Very good for canning, preserving, pickling, or fresh fruit. Honey-like flavor. Prolific bearer. Ripens in August.



## NECTARINE

On Peach Root

Price Each	Each	Per 10	Per 100
4 to 6 feet	50c	35c	25c
3 to 4 feet	40c	30c	20c
2 to 3 feet	35c	25c	15c

**DIAMOND JUBILEE**—Fruit medium to large, with dark red skin, white flesh, very juicy and highly flavored. Prolific bearer. Ripens last of June.

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## PEACHES

On Peach Root

Price Each	Each	Per 10	Per 100
4 to 6 feet	50c	35c	25c
3 to 4 feet	40c	30c	20c
2 to 3 feet	35c	25c	15c

**BABCOCK**—A new peach named after its originator, Mr. E. B. Babcock. Because of its Chinese peach ancestry it is not affected by the warm winters so common in Southern California. The fruit is medium to large, round, with white juicy flesh. Holds up well during Eastern shipments. The skin is almost fuzzless and varies from light to dark pink in color. Ripens middle of June.

Price 10c per tree higher than above list.

**MAYFLOWER**—Fruit medium to large. Skin greenish white nearly covered with red. Flesh creamy white; fine grained and delicious. Ripens in late May.

**ALEXANDER**—Fruit medium to large and very uniform. Skin greenish white and partly covered with red. Flesh white, juicy, and sweet. Home use and local market. Ripens in early June.

**EARLY IMPERIAL**—Medium size with small pit. Yellow skin shaded with red. Flesh yellow, firm, and juicy. Ripens late June to early July.

**EARLY CRAWFORD**—Very large. Skin yellow with red cheek. Flesh yellow, rich and excellent. Tree very healthy. Ripens in July.

**GEORGE THE FOURTH**—Large and round. Skin pale yellowish white, juicy, red at pit. Home use. Ripens late July.

**TUSCAN CLING**—A canning peach of long standing. Large, round fruit, abundantly blushed. Flesh rich and firm. Also used for home use and market. Ripens late July.

**ROCHESTER**—A fine freestone that ripens from three to four weeks ahead of the J. H. Hale. Fruit large to medium. Skin overspread with red. Flesh yellow, fine grained and firm, a good keeper. An excellent peach for orchard planting. Ripens late July.

**J. H. HALE**—Fruit almost round, large to very large. Highly colored with red. Yellow flesh, red at the pit. The leading commercial freestone peach. Ships exceedingly well. Also used for home use local market. Ripens in August.

**ELBERTA**—Fruit large and rather elongated; blushed with red. Yellow flesh. An old-timer but still one of the best peaches grown. A good bearer. Home use, local market, shipping and drying. Ripens in August.

**LOVELL**—Fruit large round, and uniform in size. Flesh firm and yellow to the pit. Tree vigorous, and heavy consistent bearer. Home use, local market, shipping, canning and drying. Ripens in August.

**POLORA CLING**—Fruit large, round, firm, yellow to the pit. Skin rich yellow. A splendid canning peach. Ripens in August.

**SIMS CLING**—Fruit large and round. Skin yellow and blushed slightly with red. Flesh firm and yellow to the pit which is small. One of the best canning peaches. Also used for home and local market. Ripens middle of August.

**LATE CHAMPION**—A new introduction from New Zealand. Fruit large and round. Flesh light yellow. Prolific bearer. Good shipper. Ripens early October.

**WHITE HEATH CLING**—Large, creamy white fruit blushed on sunny side. Flesh white, juicy, and sweet. A fine late cling for home use. Ripens early October.

**MILLER'S LATE**—Best late peach. Large round fruit. Flesh yellow, firm and of good flavor. A heavy bearer. Ripens in November.

## PLUMS

Price Each	On Peach Root		
	Each	Per 10	Per 100
4 to 6 feet	50c	35c	25c
3 to 4 feet	40c	30c	20c
2 to 3 feet	35c	25c	15c

**BEAUTY**—Fruit large, heart-shaped, amber in color. A rapid grower and a good bearer. Ripens in early June.

**CLIMAX**—Fruit is quite large, heart-shaped, and a dark red in color. Ripens late June.

**SANTA ROSA**—Large oval-shaped fruit. Skin purplish crimson with a pale yellow bloom. Flesh yellow mottled with crimson. A juicy, rich flavored fruit. A good bearer. Excellent for shipping. Ripens in June.

**FORMOSA**—Fruit large heart-shaped uniform in size. Flesh firm, yellow, and juicy. Skin cherry red in color. Ripens in June.

**DUARTE**—A medium to large sized fruit with skin of deep red color. Firm red flesh of good quality and flavor. A vigorous tree and a prolific bearer. Home use and local market. Ripens in late July and early August.

**SATSUMA**—Large round fruit with small pit. Dark red skin. Blood red flesh, juicy, firm, and good flavor. A splendid keeper. Home use, local market and shipping. Ripens in late July and early August.

**WICKSON**—Large, heart-shaped, deep yellow fruit. Flesh firm, juicy, and amber in color. Ripens in August.

**PRESIDENT**—Fruit uniform, large and egg-shaped. Skin purple with a deep bloom. Flesh yellow and of fine texture. Tree vigorous and a good bearer. Ripens in September.

**KELSEY**—Fruit very large. Heart shaped and yellow. Very firm. Adheres slightly to the pit. A good keeper. Ripens in September.

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## PRUNES

On Peach Root

Price Each	Each	Per 10	Per 100
4 to 6 feet	50c	35c	25c
3 to 4 feet	40c	30c	20c
2 to 3 feet	35c	20c	15c

**SUGAR**—Large oval fruit with dark purple skin and white bloom. Flesh yellow and sweet. Very productive tree. Home use and market. Ripens in late July.

**STANDARD**—Large oval fruit with dark purple skin, blue bloom. Rich, juicy, amber colored flesh. A very fine fruit for home use and market. Ripens in August.

**FRENCH IMPROVED**—An old stand-by, medium to large egg-shaped fruit with thin neck and deep purple color. Flesh very sweet and juicy. Ripens in August.

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## ALMONDS

On Peach and Almond Root

Price Each	Each	Per 10	Per 100
4 to 6 feet	50c	35c	25c
3 to 4 feet	40c	30c	20c
2 to 3 feet	35c	25c	15c

**DRAKE SEEDLING**—A strong and a uniform bearer. Nut medium in size and nearly round with medium soft shell.

**NE PLUS ULTRA**—Tree is somewhat drooping. Nut is long and narrow. Soft shell. Kernel is large, sweet, and highly flavored.

**NONPAREIL**—Tree is a strong grower and a regular and heavy bearer. Nut is elongated, and medium size. The kernel is long, fills the shell well and has an excellent flavor. Commands good prices on the market. Should be interplanted with Drake Seedling and Ne Plus Ultra.

**I. X. L.**—Tree an upright grower, producing large nuts which are easily hulled. Nut is long, medium size, and a soft shell. Brings the best prices on the market. Should be interplanted with the Drake Seedling.



**DRUMMOND**—A seedling grown by Mr. Bruce Drummond at Indio, Calif. Tree a thrifty grower, somewhat drooping. A regular and heavy bearer. Self pollinating. Does well in the interior valleys. The nut is large elongated, medium to soft shell. The kernel is long, sweet, and an excellent flavor. A cross between a California paper shell and Jordan almond.

Price for **DRUMMOND ALMOND**:

Price Each	Each	Per 10	Per 100
4 to 6 feet	75c	60c	50c
3 to 4 feet	60c	50c	40c
2 to 3 feet	50c	40c	30c

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**ENGLISH WALNUT**

On California Black Root

Price Each	Each	Per 10	Per 100
10 to 12 feet	\$1.00	80c	70c
8 to 10 feet	85c	70c	60c
6 to 8 feet	75c	60c	50c
4 to 6 feet	60c	50c	40c

**PLACENTIA**—The most extensively planted walnut in Southern California. Nuts oval shaped and uniform in size; thin, smooth shell. Kernel plump, smooth and a creamy color. A good bearer.

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**CITRUS FRUITS**

On Sweet and Sour Roots

Are desert grown, and are absolutely clean. They can be shipped anywhere without any treatment of any sort. All buds are secured from the Fruit Growers Supply Co.

Price Each	Each	Per 10
1/2 to 5/8 inch two year	75c	60c
5/8 to 3/4 inch, two year	90c	75c
3/4 to 1 inch, two year	\$1.00	85c
1 to 1 1/4 inch, two year	\$1.25	\$1.00

Write for price in quantity lots.

**SPECIMEN TREES**—2 inches and up. Extra large ball large top, \$3.00 each.

**MARCH SEEDLESS GRAPEFRUIT**—All commercial plantings are of this variety. The fruit is large and practically seedless, juicy and of fine flavor. Ripens from November to September depending on locality where grown.

**NAVEL ORANGE**—The most popular winter orange. The fruit is large, with navel at blossom end; golden yellow in color, juicy and sweet. December to April.

**VALENCIA ORANGE**—The best summer orange. Fruit is large, golden yellow, juicy and sweet. April to October.

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